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## HIGHWAY 144 (SYCAMORE CANYON) CLOSED INDEFINITELY DUE TO MUDSLIDE

SANTA BARBARA– Highway 144 (Sycamore Canyon) is closed indefinitely from Highway 101 to Highway 192 in Santa Barbara due to an active mudslide.

Motorists should use available alternate routes.

Caltrans reminds motorists to 'Slow for the Cone Zone'.

For traffic updates on other State highway projects in Santa Barbara County, residents can call Caltrans District 5 at 805-568-0858 or can visit the Caltrans District 5 website at <a href="http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upsb.htm">http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upsb.htm</a>

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